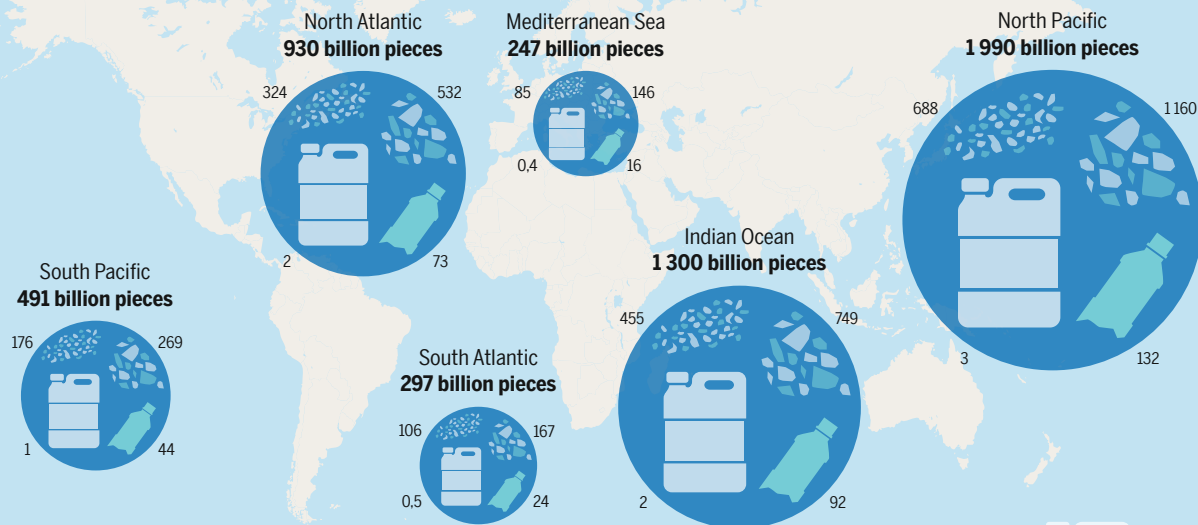


# FLOTSAM AND JETSAM

Estimated quantities of plastic in major marine areas, total and by size, in billion pieces (rounded numbers)



Size of plastic particles\*:

Small microplastics  
0.33–1.00 mm

Large microplastics  
1.01–4.75 mm

Mesoplastic  
4.76–200 mm

Macroplastic  
>200 mm

\*Definitions according to study authors